



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q82699

Eiichi SOGA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/502,402

Group Art Unit: 3683

Confirmation No.: 5366

Examiner: Thomas J. Williams

Filed: July 26, 2004

For: CLOSED-END TYPE COIL SPRING WITH DECREASED INITIAL DEFLECTION

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of December 14, 2005 to June 14, 2006.

A check for the statutory fee of \$900 is attached (one-month extension previously filed). The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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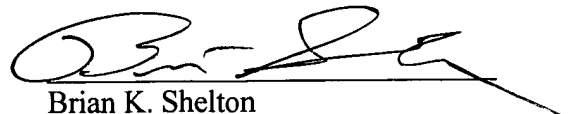
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